# MINUTES OF THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS,

SOCIAL WORKERS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS August 11, 2006

The Georgia Composite Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers and Marriage and Family Therapists met on Friday, August 11, 2006, at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia with the following members present:

#### MEMBERS PRESENT

Patricia Harwell, MFT, Vice Chair Helen W. Coale, CSW Eric Groh, LPC Janet H. Lenard, CSW Javel Jackson, LPC Gene T. Schrader, MFT

\*\*\*\*G. William Quarterman was present on August 4, 2006 to review application files.

## **MEMBERS ABSENT**

Jan Ligon, CSW, Chair Sandra L. Hollett, Consumer William Carlos Jackson, MFT G. William Quarterman, LPC

### STAFF PRESENT

Lee Tracy, Executive Director Sandy Stembridge, Applications Specialist Carol White, Board Secretary Dena Kirkman, Board Secretary Patricia Downing, Assistant Attorney General

#### **GUESTS**

Dawn Collinge, President LPCA Gale Macke, Executive Director of LPCA Sue Fort, Executive Director NASW

This meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m.

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

At 9:15 a.m. motion Groh, seconded Schrader, and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A. 43-1-2-(k) and 43-1-19(h) to deliberate on applications and enforcement matters and to receive information on applications and investigative reports. Voting in favor of the motion were those present

who included Board members Coale, Harwell, J. Jackson, and Lenard. The Board **concluded Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

### ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT

Patricia Downing, Assistant Attorney General, reported on the cases in the Attorney General's office.

## INVESTIVATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

COMP060047	Case closed by vote of the Board with Letter of Concern.
COMP060060	Case closed by vote of the Board.
COMP060067	Case closed by vote of the Board
COMP070006	Case closed by vote of the Board.

## VOTE ON INVESTIGATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Motion Lenard, seconded Groh and motion carried, to accept the report of the Investigations Committee.

## VOTE ON THE ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL REPORT

Motion Lenard, seconded Groh and motion carried, to accept the report of the Assistant Attorney General.

### THE BOARD MOVED TO ACCEPT THE FOLLOWING REPORTS:

Motion Schrader, seconded J. Jackson and motion carried, to accept the Marriage and Family Therapy Standards Report.

### ASSOCIATE MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

#### **EXAM**

Bethel, Christine	Approved
Hill, Casey	Approved
Vann, Jennifer	Approved

## MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

### **EXAM WAIVER**

McMillan, Leah	Approved
Tillman, Amanda	Approved
Vatter, Rebeca	Approved

### MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

## **EXAM**

Gregory, Alicia	Approved
Hayes, Mellonie	Approved
Mooring, Shirley	Approved
Nettles, Rae	Approved

# Motion Groh, seconded J. Jackson and motion carried, to accept the **Licensed Professional Counselors Standards Report.**

# ASSOCIATE PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

# **EXAM**

Aulakh, Ekta	Approved
Clark, Miriam	Approved
Clem, Joyce	Approved
Dean, Sandra	Approved
Francois, Andrea	Approved
Gainey, LaVon	Approved
Jones, Schalyse	Approved
Mazza, Krista	Approved
Micon, Erin	Approved
Mitchell, Teddi	Approved
Morrison, Crystal	Approved
McClarty, Shaneka	Approved
Robinson, Kathy	Approved
Washington, Marcia	Approved
Wilkerson, Bereatha	Approved
Lester, Melissa	Approved
Hill Kimberly	Denied
Hearn, Ginny	Approved

# ASSOCIATE PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

## EXAM WAIVER

Baker, Lana	Denied
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Band, Steven	Approved
Belli, Laura	Approved
McCoy, Douglas	Approved
Locker, Taunia	Approved
Magwitz, Dirk	Approved
McGee, Deandria	Approved
Metelo, Lenice	Approved
Obrentz, Shari	Approved
Shaffer, Charles Steven	Approved
Schmoll, Jessica	Approved
Wallace, Constance	Approved
Wright, Arthurine	Approved

# ASSOCIATE PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS CONTRACT AFFIDAVIT

Green, Dana	Approved
Edwards, Brenda	Approved
Hensley-Meyers, Shawn	Approved
Marrs, Heataher	Approved
Meck, Jennifer	Approved
Vinson, Chantell	Approved
LPC EXAM	
Daniel-Reasey, Tina	Approved
Penney, Amanda	Approved
Porter, Amina	Approved
Riley, James	Denied
Santora, Ann	Denied
Berry, Adrenne	Approved
Spivey, Ivanda	Approved
Torley, Victoria	Denied
Williams, Wardell	Approved
Terrell, DeAnne	Approved
Marzo, Nicole	Approved
Spencer, ChaKesha	Denied

# LPC EXAM WAIVER

Albanese, Lara	Approved
Anderson, Tamaya	Approved
Beall, Laurie	Approved
Beam, Daniel	Approved
Bourquine, Rebecca	Approved
Cannon, Rubaba	Approved
Fickas, Kelley	Approved
Forrister, Jennifer	Approved
Gillespie, Corliss	Approved
Guthas, Kevin	Approved
Harris, Melanie	Approved
Hooper, Tracy	Approved
Jester, Stephen	Approved
Jones, Pansy	Approved
Kaplan, Shari	Approved
Kellam, Byron	Approved
Kemp, D. Amelia	Denied
Kennedy, Amy	Approved
Kisling, Rhea	Approved
Kissell, Juanita	Approved

Liphard, Alicia	Approved
Simpson, Leah	Approved
Sinclair, Moneta	Aprroved
Smolko, Maryann	Approved
Snipes, Rachel	Approved
Vickers, Evelyn	Approved
Wells, Phoebe	Denied
Zak, Jennifer	Approved
Zaglin, Charles	Approved
Shurflett, Lisa	Approved

# LPC REACTIVATION

Motley, Kimberly	Approved
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Motion Lenard, seconded Coale and motion carried, to accept the **Social Workers Standards Report.** 

# MASTERS SOCIAL WORKER

## **EXAM**

Adeyefa, Oluwaseyi	Approved
Anderson, Avis	Approved
Anderson, Jamie	Approved
Bailey, Katherine	Approved
Ban, Haejin	Approved
Brown, Sonji	Approved
Bryan, Sarah	Approved
Butler, Joelle	Approved
Caldwell, Ophelia	Approved
Caldwell, Tametra	Approved
Calhoun, Melinda	Approved
Carnegie, Annie	Approved
Edwards, Beverly	Approved
Eells, Angela	Approved
English, Felicia	Approved
Fraser-Powell, Lisa	Approved
Fuller, Joi	Approved
Galloway, Anna	Approved
Giguere, Kimberly	Approved
Hart, Kelly	Approved
Hawkins, Stephanie	Approved
Haynes, Naomi	Approved
Himmelheber, Sarah	Approved
Humphrey, Jaleel	Approved
Jansen, Erin	Approved

Johnson, Pamela	Approved
Jones, Kelly	Approved
Justice, Gloria	Approved
Kelly, Dianne	Approved
Kennedy, Sean	Approved
Knapp, Holly	Approved
Lathan-Majolagbe, Shronda	Approved
Lewis, Rachelle	Approved
Lupfer, Kristin	Approved
Mahaffey, Jamie	Approved
McGraw, Kimberly	Approved
Moberg, Adrienne	Approved
Morgan, Shannon	Approved
Ostrand, Jessica	Approved
Pearsall, Gwendolyn	Approved
Pickney, Julee	Approved
Reuss, Carrie	Approved
Russ, Malaika	Approved
Saccardi, Sue	Approved
Shiver, Monica	Approved
Simmons, Allyson	Approved
Skinner, LaToya	Approved
Street, Deirdre	Approved
Thorne-Henry, Lystra	Approved
Walker, Heather	Approved
Wiswell, Kathleen	Approved
Wood, Laura	Approved
Wolf, Melissa	Approved
Woodruff, Francine	Approved

# MSW EXAM WAIVER

Benson, Kara	Approved
Costlow, Karen	Approved
Daube, Kimberly	Approved
Hill, Gaynell	Approved
Solages-Pierre, Myrianne	Approved
Speanburg, Stefanie	Approved
Spriggs, Betsy	Approved
Thompson, Frances	Approved
Volpe, Alexis	Approved
Ware, Christina	Approved
Watts, Leigh	Approved

# MSW REINSTATEMENT

Bernier, Kay	Approved
Hand, Denise	Approved
Jaskevich, Marianne	Denied

# MSW REACTIVATION

McGarity, Lula	Denied
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# CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER

# **EXAM**

Andreucci, Lisa	Approved
Brand, Taylor	Approved
Chapman, Barbara	Denied
Chavis, Sharmayne	Denied
Conlin, Tamara	Approved
Edwards, April	Denied
Giddens, Sujette	Denied
Gonzalez, Marie	Denied
Green, Deborah	Approved
Harrison, Vicki	Approved
Hodges-Wade, Jayne	Denied
Holmes, Pamela	Denied
Johnson, Metta	Approved
Mattox, Bennie Cecilia	Approved
Norman, Michael	Approved
Powers, Janet	Approved
Revels, Denise	Approved
Savage, Corey	Approved
Sewell, Donna	Denied
Strickland, Barbara	Approved
Wanner, Mary	Approved
Wardell, Susan	Denied
Webb, Katherine	Approved
Williams, Lamarlo	Denied
Willis, Sheila	Approved
Woolwine, Bobbi	Denied
Yoder, Karen	Denied
Parker, Kimberly	Approved

# **CSW EXAM WAIVER**

Balkissoon, India	Denied
Bowen, Ronald	Approved
Calloway, Nancy	Approved

D'Amato, Margaret	Denied
Downey, Deborah	Approved
Ingle, Hope	Approved
LeSassier, Elissa	Approved
Reaves, Charlotte	Denied
Romanick, Kathleen	Approved
Walker, Faith	Denied

### **CSW REACTIVATION**

Murray, Robert	Approved
Phillpott, Cynthia	Approved
Whitney, Millie	Approved
Yosten, Kathryn	Denied

#### **CSW REINSTATEMENT**

Butler, Jed	Approved
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### EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Ms. Tracy commented on Rule 135-5-.02, which was adopted at the July 14, 2006 meeting, and how much easier it was for the staff to get the application files ready for review by the Board members. Ms. Tracy encouraged the Board to continue to review all the rules in order to see what further changes needed to be made to the current rules.

## **MINUTES**

Motion Lenard, seconded Schrader and motion carried, to approve the minutes as amended of the July 14, 2006 meeting.

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

Ms. Harwell, Vice Chair of the Board, expressed thanks to Ms. Tracy for the wonderful job she had done as Executive Director for the Board and sent her Best Wishes from the Board as she retires at the end of the month.

A discussion was held concerning the proposed changes for Rule 135-6-.03 to be adopted at the September 8, 2006 Board meeting.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion Schrader, seconded Lenard and motion carried, to adjourn the meeting at 2:20 p.m.

Patricia R. Harwell, MFT, Vice-Chair GEORGIA COMPOSITE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS, SOCIAL WORKERS, AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS Mollie L. Fleeman, J.D., Division Director PROFESSIONAL LICENSING BOARDS DIVISION

Minutes approved September 8, 2006.

Recorded and prepared by Dena Kirkman, Board Secretary, Carol White, Board Secretary and Sandy Stembridge, Applications Specialist. Edited by Lee Tracy, Executive Director.